

**701—2.50(421,17A) Final decision.**

**2.50(1)** When the state board presides over the reception of evidence at the hearing, its decision is a final decision.

**2.50(2)** When the state board does not preside at the reception of evidence, the presiding officer shall make a proposed decision. The proposed decision becomes the final decision of the state board without further proceedings unless there is a timely motion to vacate under rule 701—2.46(421,17A), or an appeal to, or review on motion of, the state board within the time provided in rule 701—2.51(421,17A).